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Fri. and Sat.—"PARENTAGE"
Monday and Tuesday:
Marguerite Clark in "Out of a Clear Sky."
Wednesday and Thursday:
Shirley Mason in "Come On In."
Friday and Saturday—Next Week:
Vivian Martin in "Her Country First."

TOWN COUNCIL

Save for the presence of our venerable solicitor the last meeting of the Council might have been mistaken for some religious ceremony, with the Mayor in sacerdotal instead of municipal capacity, for the council chamber was illuminated by rows of candles, and made sweet by the incense of "Bull Durham" "Repeater" and other soul-stirring odours, while our new secretary, Mr. Carnegie, hovered round in the subdued light like an acolyte.

The communication docket was not quite as interesting as usual and with the exception of a letter from the Secretary of the Board of Health urging the amendment of the By-law to provide for the disposal of manure, etc., free of charge, did not provide much food for serious thought. The By-Law was amended as suggested.

H. H. Struthers, made application for the sum of \$8000.00 under the provisions of the Dominion Government Housing Scheme proposing to erect three houses with the amount. After the Council had time to regain their composure this letter was ordered filed.

Letter received from Angus Smith with reference to filling Engineer's position temporarily was handed to the Mayor with power to act.

The Electric Light Co. in reply to a letter sent from the town with regard to compensation for loss incurred through the breakdown at the power plant, stating that the Company did not consider it reasonable of the town to ask for compensation inasmuch as the Company had not asked for a repa-

Minstrels Score Great Success

It was a foregone conclusion that the performance of the Bassano Minstrels would be excellent, but the most expectant in the audience must have been surprised at the exceptionally fine showing made by the troupe last Wednesday.

There was not a dull moment from start to finish, and the large audience was alternately held with appreciative interest and rocked with hearty laughter at the witticisms and gags of the end-men.

Most noticeable of all was the splendid quality of the chorus, and the director (Oscar Daehler) is to be congratulated upon the results of his training.

In the first part of the program Charlie Nutter made a great hit with his song and received an insistent encore, while Jimmie Johnston, added to his already numerous successes with "Little Lisa June," the audience demanding a repetition. A. G. Bond was heard to splendid advantage in his number "Honey how I miss you" and Jack Mainin made a very favorable impression with his "Lullaby." Oscar Daehler was in good form, but did not receive the support or (Continued on page five.)

occurred in installing the electric unit. Letty was laid on the table. Mr. Griffin of the D.N.R., C.P.R., interviewed the Council with reference to water and sewer connections at the new engineering headquarters. After discussion, a special committee was appointed to inquire into costs etc. and report back to the Council.

Spring Specials!

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A Very Nifty Shoe
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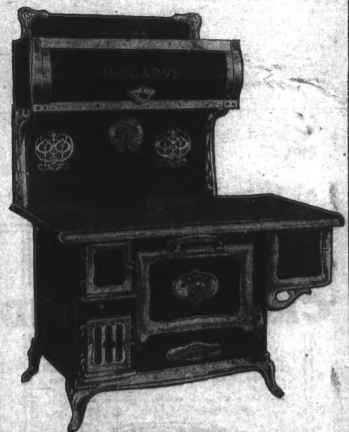
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Trial of Ex-Kaiser Not For Belgium

Paris. — The Belgian delegation at the peace conference, informed the correspondent that Belgium had not been officially requested by the council of four to try the former German emperor to trial, and that the Belgian government would feel obliged to decline to take the steps even if there were any request for such action.

The Belgian delegates hold that any action should be taken by a commission representing all the associated powers. The official Belgian view, it was said, is that the former emperor cannot be arraigned for declaring war or violating the neutrality of Belgium, or for any act preceding or coincident with the declaration of war.

After pointing out that there is no tribunal competent to hear such charges against the former emperor and no provision of international law covering such cases, the delegates said that Belgium expects that persons guilty of acts punishable under the criminal code of the belligerent powers should be placed on trial, as theft, murder and other crimes committed during the war does not require the criminals of responsibility.

"If the commission desires to arraign General Baron von Manteuffel for the sacking of Louvain, General von Schroeder, for the murder of Captain Frayst and General von der Goltz for the execution of Miss Edith Cavell, all the necessary documents will be forthcoming," said the general secretary of the delegation.

"But Belgium does not seek revenge. It wants only justice. It would be small satisfaction to let the Kaiser go for a few months in the Saint Gille prison and those who have reported that such revenge has been offered Belgium as a solace for her wrongs, have sadly misunderstood the Belgian character, if they thought it would be acceptable.

"The only case in which the personal responsibility of the former emperor for a criminal action committed in Belgium could be established beyond doubt, is in the atrocities attending the deportations of Belgian and Flemish men to do forced labor in Germany. In this case, his responsibility is unquestioned."

Where They Belong

Over Two Hundred German Submarines at Bottom of Sea

New York. — Rear Admiral Sims, who commanded the United States fleet during its war time activities in European waters, said that he believed there were "205 German submarines at the bottom of the sea."

In a speech at the Bond club, a Victory Loan organization, he said: "The fleet found many submarines stuck on the bottom with indications showing that many of the men caught inside either committed suicide or killed each other."

Quiet in Odessa

Athens. — There had been no disorders in Odessa since its evacuation by allied troops.

Holland Fears Bolshevism

German Border Strengthened to Prevent Smuggling of Munitions

The Hague. — The frontier guards along the German border has again had to be strengthened because of the efforts made by Bolsheviks to smuggle arms and munitions to Holland. Ten Germans were arrested and twenty who were trying to come into the country were turned back. Every traveller who enters Holland is searched in Amsterdam. There is much interest in Amsterdam due to the demobilized soldiers, who, with a recognized leader come together daily and parade through the principal streets. While the police are engaged in trying to disband them other disorderly crowds held shops elsewhere. Jewelry valued at hundreds of thousands of dollars have been looted. In almost every case the windows are first smashed and then when the storekeeper runs out to see what is happening he is caught and held by the mob while his shop is robbed. Others hastily put up their shutters when they see bands of men and boys approaching.

Anarchy in Munich

Robbers are Looting Houses and Threatening Banks

London. — Complete anarchy reigns in Munich, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph. All work has ceased. Trains are not running, and robbers are looting houses and threatening the banks, the dispatch states. The first infantry regiment is said to have joined the Spartacists.

Copenhagen. — German government troops have occupied the entire town of Magdeburg, according to a Weimar dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin. It is reported there was hard fighting, with many casualties on both sides.

Threaten to Use Force

Czech Forces Concentrated at Ostrova in Silesia

Warsaw. — Advice from Cracow state that Czech forces have been concentrated at Ostrova and Dabrowa in Silesia, close to the line of demarcation between Czech and Polish armies in that region which was fixed by the allied mission sent there. It is said that the Czechs have announced that they will settle the frontier question by force of arms.

A Czech detachment is said to have entered Polish territory at Lutynia, where it clashed with a Polish force, several Poles being wounded.

Greek Canadian Trade

London. — Reuter's learns, in connection with Canadian trade "developments in Europe, that a Greek commercial commission is leaving Athens at an early date for Canada to ascertain the extent to which Canadian industries supply Greek requirements and to arrange preliminaries for placing Greek orders in Canada.

Raw Materials For Germany

May Be Allowed Before Peace Treaty Becomes Effective

Paris. — The council of four of the peace conference went into session with the question of the Adriatic again before it for consideration. Arthur J. Balfour, British secretary for foreign affairs, took the place of the council session of President Lloyd George, who has gone to London.

The supreme economic council is considering the question of permitting Germany to have certain raw materials before the peace treaty becomes effective with a revision of the blockade regulations to that extent, and it is understood the prospects are good for favorable action. The economic council members are also considering a plan for the conservation of Italy's coal supplies. Belgium has been asked to name a delegate to sit on the economic commission.

German Officers Will Demobilize

Paris. — It is officially announced that German officers will be demobilized and will formally leave the army when the war ministry is able to lighten the economic difficulties incident to their transfer to civil life.

Trade Outlook Bright

Market Is Opening for Sale of Canadian Products

Ottawa. — A cablegram to the Canadian trade commission in Ottawa from the Canadian mission, London, states that there is a promising outlook for the sale of Canadian products, especially of foodstuffs in Scandinavia, Denmark and Holland.

Import regulations for these countries have been undergoing considerable revision. Guarantees as to destination of imports into those countries, it is understood, must be furnished by consignees, but on this point there is little difficulty, and the supplies are for home consumption.

Considerable quantities of foodstuffs have been consigned especially to Denmark, within the last month, such as wheat, flour, oil and pork products. Permits will be granted freely.

No Russian Approaches

London. — In answer to a question from John R. Clynes, a labor leader, whether approaches for peace have come from the Russian government, the premier said: "We have had no approaches of any sort or kind. None has been put before the council."

Turkey May Start Next World War

Wants Treaty Revised

Demands Annexation of Land in Rhine Province

Paris. — The council of four took up the request of Belgium for a revision of the treaty of 1839 and Belgium's demand for the annexation of Malmedy, in the Rhine province of Prussia, southwest of Aix-la-Chapelle, and Moresnet, a small section of No Man's Land, the disposition of which was left undecided at the Vienna conference. It lies between the Belgian province of Liege and the Prussian Rhine provinces.

Until the outbreak of the war, Moresnet enjoyed the unique position of being without either a government or national allegiance. Its residents served in no army, paid no taxes and had no such modern institutions as railroads, posts and telegraphs, depending on such accommodations as were provided by adjacent communities.

Another allied victory is predicted by "Separia."

Say Huns Must Be Punished

Resolution Signed by 5,000,000 United States Women

Paris. — Premier Clemenceau received from Mrs. Charles H. Foxman, of New York, the representative of the committee for the protection of women under international law, a resolution signed by 5,000,000 United States women relating to crimes against women committed by the Germans and their allies during war. The resolution demands the German attack on humanity through womanhood as "infamous and sinister."

Superabundant proof exists, the resolution says, of the crimes which the armies of the central powers perpetrated against women in all the countries they invaded.

Demand is made that all officers, soldiers, and civilians belonging to the armies of the central powers who perpetrated any crime against women or girls in any allied country, should be punished if possible, and that steps should be taken to prevent such outrages in the future.

Peace Treaty in Two Parts

Paris. — The peace treaty will be divided into two parts, according to the latest information in the "Petit Parisien." The first part will concern Germany and will include a clause by which she will pledge herself to comply with all agreements to be concluded with her former allies. The second part will not concern Germany directly and will be signed only by Austrian, Bulgarian and Turkish delegates.

Another German Strike

Bremen. — A general strike has been proclaimed here. It is effective from midnight.

The work of the large works and on the railways. The gas and electric lighting systems, however, are operating.

Nova Scotia Man Is Enthusiastic

For Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Made Him Well

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"I first caught a cold," Mr. Bright says, "and kidney trouble followed. My back was broken, my head ached, and I was often dizzy and always thirsty. I was often sick and my limbs were swollen."

"No German government can sign such terms," the Vorwaerts declares. "The latest statements must themselves settle with the inhabitants of the Saar valley who are thoroughly German, and they may find that the same proposition as indemnities cannot be extracted, even if the last sheet is taken from our beds."

Fearful of Unjust Peace

German Press Denounces Conditions of Treaty

Berlin. — Semi-official French announcement of the conditions to be laid down in the treaty of peace are denounced by the German press. Prince Liechtenow, in an article in the Tagblatt, declares France "forgets that instead of leading to disarmament, an unjustly extorted peace will bring forth only fresh armaments."

Declaring that a peace of violence must be absolutely rejected, he concludes: "Psychology can re-commence the war against us. Neither can we be forced out without the common enemy, communism and terrorism, throwing all mankind back into its primitive state."

Pha Holds Up Shipping

Melbourne. — The Commonwealth government has decided to prohibit the movement of all shipping from Australian ports in consequence of the severity of the influenza epidemic in Australia and New Zealand.

Coming to Canada

Rumanian Ship Has Sailed Under Recent Trade Agreement

London. — Reuter's learns that a Rumanian steamship has left Liverpool for Montreal to load goods supplied by Canada to Rumania under the recently signed agreement.

Mr. Lloyd Harris, chairman of the Canadian trade mission, has left for Paris, where he intends to investigate Belgian requirements with a view to ascertaining what Canada would be able to supply and thus help in the work of restoration.

Canada will be represented at a large exhibition of British manufactures which is to be held at Athens this autumn.

Relief Force for Russia

London. — News from North Russia is that the situation in the Archangel area has been considerably improved by reconnaissance against the Bolsheviks. The announcement that a relief force will shortly proceed to the front has had a marked effect on the spirits of the allied troops.

The most critical period, however, has not yet been reached, but it is believed that if the relief force is dispatched as soon as open water is available, the needed relief will be successfully accomplished.

Meanwhile recruiting for the relief force is proceeding throughout Great Britain.



LET'S WAKE UP!

Our town should wake up to the fact that some one else is occupying the seat that really belongs to us. This intruder represents out-of-town houses that take away business that should go to our own merchants. When will our town wake up! As long as we remain asleep the intruder will keep his place. Only when we decide on the policy of co-operation will we have seen the havoc and ruin of neglected home interests. Now is the time for co-operation. If you buy out of town and buy out of town and all of our neighbors buy out of town, what in thunder will become of our town?

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Clean up week will soon be here, but, judging by the past few days, the flies and bugs will be all alive and kicking--and increasing--long before our official invitation to clean up is issued from the town hall.

It would be as well for everyone who wishes to avoid the pestilence of flies and germs to set to work right now, and then when the Mayor and Council issue the customary adjuration to clean up we shall have time for a little dig-up and plant-up bee which may hasten on the vision of Bassano Beautiful.

Nothing having been attempted in the way of securing a weekly half holiday during the summer months we suppose nothing will be done until next September, or thereabouts, and Bassano will continue in its ridiculous isolation.

Without being overly curious we should like to know what has happened to those enthusiasts, who suggested Tennis, Golf, Football, Basketball and other occupations for the summer. As far as we know Red Cross work is the only recreation our ladies have.

Raising Poultry For Profit

(Continued from last week.)

The coop should be placed at the north end of the plot, and remain there until the litter in the run shows signs of foulness, when it should be removed sufficiently towards the south to leave the litter behind. This should be removed, the ground sprinkled with lime, dug over and levelled, clean fresh litter being placed in the run.

The coop should be thus systematically moved along and the land cleaned, limed, and dug over until the south end of the plot is reached, by which time the portion first used at the north end will be fit for occupation again. As to how many times the coop can be moved along the plot, much will depend upon the size of the latter. Care should be taken to keep the inside of the coop clean by renewing the floor material and dusting the hen and her brood occasionally with insect powder to keep down undesirable pests.

The chicks may have a feed of soft food for breakfast; but, apart from that, they should be given a variety of grains, commencing with a good dry chick-look mixture, and increasing the size of the grain as the chickens grow.

Every bit of grain given to the chicks should be scattered among the litter in the run to induce scratching exercise, for unless the little birds are well exercised, they will fail to thrive. Between all the daily rations, chopped grass or vegetables should be given.

Anything in the way of edible garden produce will do. Pure water and fine grit should be constantly within reach of the chickens, and one must not forget to see that the hen is regularly fed.

When the chicks leave the hen they may still occupy the coop until ten or twelve weeks old, when they must have the full run of the plot and be given a roosting house to sleep in. Properly managed on the lines indicated, a brood of chicks can be successfully reared on a remarkably small piece of ground.

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box with a wooden bottom. A saucer-shaped bottom should be scooped out of the soil, and fastened evenly all round with the hand, all stones and other hard projections being removed. Over this place a layer of straw, which should be worked round with the hand until well interlocked, so that the interior of the nest is as smooth as possible.

Test The Broody

I have many complaints as to failures, especially from new beginners. As most of them are trying again, this advice may help. If you buy a strange "broody" test her on dummy eggs for 24 hours prior to giving her the setting. Use care over these apparently little things, as they are important.

Care of Setting Hen

While a hen is setting a dust bath, in which a little flour of sulphur has been mixed, ought always to be available. In the way of food, all that a setting hen needs is grain, usually corn, and some greenstuff, with, of course, water to drink. The last-named, should the weather be cold, may be given warm. Should the nest or eggs get accidentally soiled, the straw (Continued on Supplement.)

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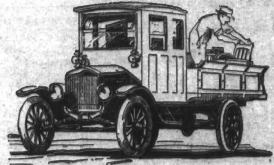
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Minstrels Score Great Success

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appreciation his rendition of "Mamma's Lil' Coal Black Rose," entitled him to H. D. Powers who opened the program with "Somebody's Done Me Wrong" proved to be the possessor of a fine baritone voice, which we imagine would be heard to better advantage in ballad music.

Prominent among the end-men were Jan Johnston and Roy Smith, the latter being especially good for a "novice."

The jokes were mostly tinged with local color and kept the audience in laughter the whole time.

The second part was composed of miscellaneous items, one in particular being worthy of special mention.

We refer to A. Weaver's turn which was, if anything, just a little better than anything which has ever been presented here before.

His interpretation of nigger melodies, to his own guitar accompaniment was perfect and the audience would not let him leave the stage till he had sung four songs and even then were eager for more. We understand that each of the songs were composed by Mr. Weaver, and this being the case only adds to the pride Bassano should feel in him.

No Bassano program would be complete without one of Jimmie Johnston's clever Lauder characterizations and on this occasion Jimmie gave us of his best which was greatly to the taste of the audience.

A Mandolin and Guitar duet by Messrs. Tegerdine and Weaver was greatly appreciated as also were two splendid acrobatic numbers by P. J. Barry. Billy Walker contributed a "Yodeling Lullaby" which brought an encore.

The last number on the programme was a farcical sketch, in which Dick Nord as a tramp and Roy Smith as a French Canadian farm hand convulsed the audience with their buffoonery, and H. D. Powers as an elderly farmer made a good fool for their fooling.

A clever recitation by Roy Smith in the French Canadian dialect was heartily applauded as also was Dick Nord's rendering of Tosti's "Good-bye."

J. S. Mavor made a most capable and entertaining interloper adding considerably to the success of the whole show.

Special mention must also be made of the splendid assistance given to the singing by the efficient work of J. W. Tegerdine at the piano.

The War Veterans Welfare Society should benefit considerably by the performance as the house was filled.

A very noticeable improvement in the demonstration of appreciation was a feature of the performance which we trust will continue in future home-talent concerts.

Notice to Creditors and Claimants

IN THE ESTATE OF CHESTER MILLAGE COWGER late of Hinton, Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims on the estate of the said Chester Millage Cowger, who died 11th November 1918, are required to file with the undersigned Administrator of the estate by the 15th May 1919, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to his knowledge.

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3. Red Triangle men on every troop train to provide refreshment, free drinks, cabbies and cigarettes, organize games and sing songs, and furnish information.

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7. Tickets entitling soldiers to full Y.M.C.A. privileges for six months at any local Y.M.C.A. furnished.

In addition to our work for the returning soldiers, we have to maintain the Red Triangle service to the full for the soldiers in Siberia, as well as the work of special secretaries in Northern Russia, Palestine and Poland.

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For the wives and children Overseas, dependent upon Canadian soldiers, and the Y.W.C.A. work in Canada generally, a sum of \$175,000 from the Red Triangle Fund will be set aside for the Dominion Council of the Y.W.C.A., which is caring for the soldier's women folk, and their little ones on the long journey, from Liverpool to Canada, and is also extending its work for Canadian girls.

For their sake also be generous when you make your contribution.

For Canada's Manhood

The Reconstruction program of the Y.M.C.A. includes the following vitally important developments:—

1. An increased service to 300,000 teen-age boys in the Dominion—the development of Canadian Statesmen and leaders; Bible Study groups; summer camps; conferences; service for High School boys, for working boys, in the towns and cities; for boys on the farm and for boys everywhere, who have lacked opportunity for mental, moral, physical or social development.

2. Insurgency of Y.M.C.A. work in the country, and the smaller towns and villages lacking Association buildings and equipment, on a plan of county organization. This will include the establishment of Red Triangle centres for social, recreational and educational work among boys and men, in co-operation with the churches.

3. The promotion of Y.M.C.A. work among Canada's army of workers in industrial plants, both in Y.M.C.A. buildings and in the factory buildings, organizing the industrial workers of our cities by social, recreational, games and sports.

4. The establishment of the Red Triangle in isolated districts where lumbermen, miners and other workers hold the front trenches of industry.

5. Besides these main fields of increased activity for 1919, we have to provide for enlarged work among railway men, college students and for our campaign to encourage physical and sex education. Under all our work we place the fundamental foundation of many Christianity.

Please Note:

We are not asking for money to carry on our work Overseas, with the Army in Great Britain, France or Belgium. That work will continue at its maximum for some months, financially provided for by the liquidation of our assets Overseas, and will not terminate till the last man has sailed for home.

National Council, Young Men's Christian Associations of Canada

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Local and Personal.

Mrs. Brodin is visiting in Calgary this week.

Mrs. Dr. J. O. Smith of Calgary is now visiting her sister Mrs. H. D. Powers.

P. J. Barry left this week for Calgary, where, we understand, he is to open an important branch for Webster Bros.

The Comak Farming Co. Ltd., with head office at Bassano and a capitalization of \$175,000.00 was incorporated last month.

The Alberia Hotel dining room will be reopened on Monday as a first class restaurant under the management of Sam Yee.

The General Garage staff has been considerably enlarged by the acquisition of "Fat" Fryberger, a fact which will interest Ford owners especially.

FOR SALE 17 Mules 1200 to 1600 lbs., good heavy boned Mules, grain fed and 7 to 10 years old. S. L. Talkington, Phone 28, Bassano.

Practically the whole town turned out on Wednesday to give a cheer of admiration and appreciation to the gallant Fighting Tenth as they went through to Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Forter returned from their trip to the tourist's home in Oregon last week. Billy says that the sunshine in Alberta is better than all the "moonshine" in Oregon, and its cheaper too.

The last dance given by the Bear-Cats on Easter Monday was a huge success in every way save (as usual) the financial end of it. The boys really deserve better support than has been given them for they sure do put up the goods.

The Independent Order of Odd-fellows celebrates the 100th Anniversary of the Order this week, and it will be marked locally by attendance at the Anglican Church on Sunday April 27th at the Evening Service. All visiting brethren are asked to attend this service, meeting at the Hall at 7:00 o'clock for regalia.

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It is easier to poison them now than it will be when the grain is up and there is plenty of green vegetation available. They are hungry and should take the poisoned grain readily.

Poison. Receipt—Dissolve one ounce of Sulphate of Strontium in boiling water—do not use metal dish. Add this solution to two gallons of water, which is in a clean five gallon coal oil can.

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Add wheat, filling the can to within four inches of the top. Stir and let stand for twenty-four hours.

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Geo. B. R. Bond, who has served the Town as Secretary-Treasurer for the last seven years left Bassano this week. Mr. Bond leaves behind him a record for faithful and efficient service which will take a lot of beating. His abilities for organization and executive work have been always at the service of the town outside of his official capacity. He was a consistent booster for a better Bassano and he carries with him to his new life the best wishes of a large number of friends.

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